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Mrs. Charles Franklin of Cabanne avenue entertained sixteen ladies at the Hamilton Hotel Monday.

Miss Annie Laurie of West Montgomery street returns Wednesday from Maryville and St. Joseph, Mo., where for the last two weeks she has been pleasantly entertained.

Among those at the Olympic last night to hear "The Song" were Mrs. G. C. Butler, chair of Lindell boulevard, with Mrs. J. H. McInerney of Grand Forks, N. D.; Miss Mary B. Cantell and Mrs. W. S. Cantrell of Barton, Ill., who have been frequent guests for several weeks past. Miss Mary E. Cantrell has been popular with the West End set during her stay in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. L. Traut of the Hamilton Hotel departed Monday for a few days' visit to Mr. Traut's parents, De Witt and Mrs. Cochran of Memphis, Tenn.

MISSING WITH FAMILY.

J. F. Peters, Belleville School Teacher, Left Town Saturday Night and Was Followed by His Wife.

The friends of J. F. Peters, for a long time professor of Latin and German in the Belleville high school, and treasurer of the Christian Evangelical Church of Belleville, are exercised over his disappearance from his home Saturday night. Callers at his residence Sunday evening were surprised to discover the house dark and the wife and children alone. It was learned that Peters, with his wife and three children, had left their home.

J. Von Reagene, father of Mrs. Peters, disavowed the church of which his son-in-law was treasurer, and was well known in Belleville religious circles. Peters was one of the most popular of the teachers in charge of the Belleville public schools, and had been in the church for some time.

VISITORS AT ST. LOUIS HOTELS.

J. H. Cockerly of New York is at the St. James.

E. P. Roberts of St. Genevieve, Mo., is at the St. Louis.

F. W. Hickenkamp of Quincy, Ill., is at the St. James.

W. J. Pfeiffer of St. Joseph, Mo., is at the Laclede.

H. T. Murphy of Kingston, I. T., has roomed at the Jefferson.

S. T. Clark of Springfield, Mo., has roomed at the Laclede.

C. E. Benedict of Marion, Ind., is registered at the Planters.

W. H. Bond of Hope, Ark., is a guest at the St. Nicholas.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Evans of Chicago, Ill., are at the Laclede.

Henry L. Steele of New Orleans, La., is a guest at the Lindell.

W. H. Bond of Bloomfield, Mo., is a guest at the Laclede.

A. B. Wentink of Cleveland, O., is registered at the Southern.

H. C. Boone of Kansas City, Mo., spent yesterday at the Jefferson.

A. W. Thies of Louisville, Ky., spent yesterday at the Southern.

John A. McKane of Philadelphia, Pa., has roomed at the Laclede.

arrived at the Hotel Baltimore, Md., and occupies rooms at the Southern.

—Thomas L. Bolton of Pine Bluff, Ark., was registered at the Hamilton.

—B. E. Levy of Egyptian Field, Tex., spent his evening at the Hamilton.

—N. M. Patterson of San Francisco, Cal., occupied rooms at the Lincoln.

—J. H. McLaughlin of Milton, Mass., is registered at the St. Nicholas.

—J. L. Kormanman of Savannah, Ga., arrived here from New York City.

—William Hochman of Teasarska, Texas, is registered at the Planters.

—A. J. Williams of Valentine of Moberry, Mo., are at the St. James.

—R. A. Perden of Milwaukee, Wis., spent his evening at the St. Nicholas.

—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Watson of Mount Vernon, Ill., are at the Carroll.

—W. Hanson of Philadelphia, Pa., spent his evening at the St. Nicholas.

—M. and Mrs. D. A. Wards of Union City, Ind., and the Jefferson.

At Chicago Hotels.

REPUBLICAN SPECIAL.

Chicago, Ill., March 7.—These St. Louisans registered at hotels here to-day:

Auditorium—H. S. Ames, I. P. Allen and J. C. Davis.
Hotel Carlton—C. F. Barrett, A. J. David and M. R. Guthrie.
Hotel La Salle—I. P. Smith,
Hotel Sherman—J. C. Davis.

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Salt River Presbytery.
REPORTS SPECIAL.
 Wellsville, Mo., March 7.—The Salt River Presbytery of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church will meet in this city March 23. It embraces part of seven counties. The opening sermon will be delivered by the Reverend L. N. Montgomery of Louisiana, Mo., and the closing sermon by the Reverend Hay Beile of Carbondale, Ill.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO
TO-DAY IN ST. LOUIS.

From The Republic, March 2, 1880.
 Opposition developed to the street sprinkling bill, pending in the Municipal Assembly, on the ground that the city could not afford to

The report of the School Board for the second quarter of the scholastic year showed an enrollment of 4,684 pupils; average attendance, 34,741; teachers employed, 534; 276 children and 231 teachers in the district, and 4,395 negro children.

The Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway let contracts for the building of eight bridges at points on its road, the total cost being \$200,000.

The bill compelling street railroads to turn "owl" cars passed the Municipal Assembly and was signed by Mayor Overholser.

A bill was introduced in the Municipal Assembly to compel owners of tenement houses to furnish water to the tenants. In many of the tenement districts tenants were obliged to carry water from the public pumps.

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